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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION: Hiroshi NISHIMURA, et al.

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EXAMINER: CHAET, MARISSA W.

FOR: SINGLE CRYSTAL GROWING APPARATUS

LETTER SUBMITTING REPLACEMENT DRAWING SHEETS

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Alexandria, VA 22313

SIR:

Responsive to the below indicated communication, the following drawing sheets are submitted herewith:

- ☒ 2 Replacement Drawing Sheets ☐ _____ New Drawing Sheets
☐ _____ Annotated Drawing Sheets
- ☒ Official Action dated August 30, 2007.
☐ Notice of Allowance/Issue Fee dated _____
☐ Other _____ dated _____

The changes and/or modifications made include the following:

Figures 15-17 have been labeled as "Background Art" to address the drawing objection in the Official Action of August 30, 2007.

Respectfully Submitted,

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